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**Brief Summary of Selected Substantive Portions of this Response**

**[0001]** In a telephone discussion (on 19 May 2008) the Examiner and Applicant agreed a submission correcting formal issues with the prior response would be considered. Included herein is a revised response to the 102 rejection. No additional claim amendments are herein submitted.

**[0002]** This brief summary is not intended to represent the Applicant's full response to the Action. Rather, it is merely a brief summary of selected substantive portions of the response herein.